



Southwestern Michigan College

2019-2020 Parental Nonparticipation Form

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Student Name _____

Student ID # N _____

Phone Number _____

Date of Birth _____

We have received your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). You indicated on your FAFSA that you are a dependent student. As a dependent student you are required to provide parental information. You were able to submit the FAFSA without parental data; however, the application is incomplete. To receive financial aid, you must choose one of the following three options.

Option 1: Update your FAFSA by providing parental data at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Your parent must have a FSA ID to sign the application electronically.

Option 2: Complete and sign this form. One of your parents must also sign this form. This will allow you to borrow a Federal Unsubsidized Direct Loan **only**. You will not be considered for any need-based financial aid. For information regarding the Direct Loan program, please visit our website at www.swmich.edu, Financial Aid, and then Loans.

Option 3: Submit a Dependency Override Appeal Form. This can be obtained at the Financial Aid Office or can be downloaded from our website at www.swmich.edu, Financial Aid, and then Forms.

By completing this form you are choosing Option 2 described above

To receive a Federal Direct Loan, as a dependent student completing the FAFSA without providing parental data, federal law requires the financial aid office to verify that the parent(s) have ended financial support for the student and refuse to complete the parental section of the FAFSA.

By signing this form, I certify that I am not providing financial support (this includes not only non-payment of educational costs, but also not providing other cash and non-cash support to this student such as room and/or board). **Note:** *This form can't be completed for a student who lives in the parent(s)' household and pays rent to parents.*

I certify that I (the parent):

- have stopped providing financial support to the above named student as of the following date:
_____ and

- will not provide financial support to this student in the future and

- refuse to complete the parental section of the FAFSA.

Print Parent's Name _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

By signing this form, I certify that the above statements are true and the only federal aid that I may be eligible to receive this year is a Federal Unsubsidized Direct Loan.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

